Gloucester Cultural Council April 24, 2023 – 5:30 pm Harbormaster's Conference Room

Member Attendees:

Liz Neumeier Lynn Maguire John Hicks Lily Narbonne Tricia O Neill

Members Absent: Christine Lundberg (on leave), Laura Waxdal

- 1. Reviewed and discussed Minutes of March 27, 2023. Lily moved to approve, Lynn seconded. Members accepted unanimously.
- 2. Discussed plans for Block party Sept 1st. Table to be located near 67 Main Street. Lily completing application; Lynn and Tricia to staff table, Tricia to develop banner, postcard and sticker, Liz offered table, Lynn to bring chairs; John to create a community survey (as suggested by MCC); Tricia discussed possible wording for postcard (referring to MCC website description)

## 3. FY 23 Awards

Lynn (liasion) was able to follow up and reach Cynthia Moore re her grant and sent her logo credit info as requested. Sean Fullerton left message with Liz, John (liaison) will follow up with Sean re his grant questions.

4. Reviewed mail from PO Box.

GHS Theater submitted requests for reimbursement; Rockport Music sent thank you for grant; Gentille Band sent letter and flyer with seasons offerings.

- 5. Administrative Funds for 2023 is \$ 600 . It will be used to cover expenses of PO box, postcard, stickers, and banner.
- 6. Recruitment Lily to post in GDTimes that GCC is looking for new members, Discussed MCC recommendation to outreach with students; discussed benefit of youth involvement as members. John and Lily to do outreach with HS students; Andrew Dunbar sent request to Mayor and is awaiting response. GCC members that are able will attend May 13th Gloucester Student Art Festival and invite interested students to join.
- 7. Next scheduled meeting May 22, 2023 5:30 pm Harbormaster's Office
- 8. John moved to Adjourn at 6:43 pm, Tricia seconded.

Minutes submitted by Lynn Maguire